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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Sub B1 3. (Amended) The olefin copolymer as claimed in claim 1, of which the glass transition temperature Tg is lower than 30°C.

Sub C1 4. (Amended) The olefin copolymer as claimed in claim 1, of which the limiting viscosity $[\eta]$ measured in decalin at 135°C falls between 0.01 and 20 dl/g.

Sub C2 5. (Amended) The olefin copolymer as claimed in claim 1, of which the tensile modulus is at most 600 MPa.

A1 6. (Amended) The olefin copolymer as claimed in claim 1, of which the internal haze is at most 20 %.